

DECATUR, ILLINOIS, TUESDAY, JULY 29, 1879.

VOL. VIII.

SUMMER CLOTHING.

J. R. RACE & CO.

Having received a large and well selected stock of

Boys', Youth's and Children's Suits,

At an UNPRECEDENTEDLY Low Price, are prepared to give extra bargains. We have manufactured a Large Line of MEN'S SUITS, and we sell them at prices that DEFY COMPETITION.

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Her Dream.

A lady up on Pine street dreamed the other night that she was riding across the bridge, when the steamer ran against it. The lady was unconscious for a moment and then seemed to recover her senses and find herself in Heaven, and this is the way she tells about it:

"Oh, it was a splendid place, with real lace curtains; and so beautiful! I went right to work and took up the carpet, cost four dollars a yard, and I hung it over three or four stairs and set a couple of angels to whipping it, and it was perfectly lovely. Then we covered up the harps and music, and had the whole place whitewashed, and I picked out some beautiful wall paper, that just matched the furniture, and had it all put on that same afternoon, with a green and yellow border, and it was just elegant. We got the parlor stove up into the garret, and set the book case over where the stove had stood, and washed all the woodwork, and took out all the windows and washed them, and I never supposed any one could be so happy. I just pinned a towel around my head, and pinned up my back hair, and left my switch in the bureau drawer, and sung, and sung, and sung all the time, and I never can tell how nice it was, and we were just getting straightened around when I woke up. It was a beautiful dream, and it seemed so real. I shall never feel any dream of death any more."

We suppose this was a nice enough dream, as dreams go, but there is one thing about it: Some women have got to keep out of heaven.—Stillwater Lumbeeman.

Mr. Beecher's Horse.

N. Y. Herald.

An amusing incident is related of the recent visit of Henry Ward Beecher to Hartford, Connecticut, as chaplain of the Thirtieth New York regiment. The horses for the field and staff were furnished there, and when the stout and solid looking bay selected for him was led out Mr. Beecher inquired whether he was perfectly safe. The stable proprietor replied in the affirmative. "Perfectly safe and reliable?" asked the chaplain.

"Perfectly so," replied the proprietor. "He will go anywhere, and is not afraid of the military or the cars. There isn't a mean thing about him."

Mr. Beecher looked the animal over for a moment and then quickly remarked: "I wish he belonged to my church."

A mission school in Philadelphia has in its basement a large bathing and swimming department. There are four great tubs, in which the dirty little children are free to cleanse themselves and take aquatic exercise under prescribed regulations. Each tub accommodates nearly two dozen children at a time. The surrounding floors and walls are of brick and concrete, so that no restriction is put on splashing. A man with a small whip in his hand stands by during bathing hours, ready to chastise any of the young persons who are unruly or violent. To their credit it must be said that he is seldom compelled to use it. The girls bathe and swim on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, and the boys on the other days of the week. The rule is that no child shall be allowed to enter the baths more than once a day. Many of the boys dodge this rule by exchanging clothes and presenting themselves in such combinations of costume that the man with the whip does not recognize them.

Dr. King's California Golden Compound.

It is a strictly vegetable preparation, and will positively cure Dyspepsia, Sick Headache, Acidity of Stomach, coming up of Food, Pain in Pit of Stomach, Low Spirits, Bilelessness, Constipation, Jaundice, Liver Complaint, or any affection of the Stomach or Liver, in the shortest time possible. You are not asked to buy until you know what you are getting. Therefore, as you value your existence, do not fail to go to your druggists, Hubbard & Swearingen, and get a trial bottle free of charge, which will show what a regular one dollar bottle will do. Ask for Dr. King's CALIFORNIA GOLDEN COMPOUND, and take no other. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen.

NICKEL-PLATED heels, Minkie Patent Seamless Shoes, check, blue and basket top, side lace and button shoes, at Ferriss's Shoe Store.

Feb. 23-d&wtf

If you want the best low price Corset in the market, ask for the "Victor," at Lion & Scruggs.

May 18-d&wtf

SUMMER shawls, dress goods, parasols and sun umbrellas, for less than cost of manufacture, at the Popular New York Store.

The Comfort Patent Corset—Bortree's Adjustable, Foy's Supporter, Moody's Abdominal, Glove Fitting, Hundred Bones, together with the best and cheapest French Corsets in the city, at Jan. 23-d&wtf Lion & Scruggs.

If you want mill feed, corn or oats, you can be supplied at SHELLABARGER'S.

Dec. 18-d&wtf

Shellabarger's Patent Process Flour retains all the nourishment contained in the wheat. None of its virtues are wasted. Try it.

TIME TELLS!

The craze for Cheap Shoddy Clothing, which has raged so fearfully of late through the medium of clothing looking for profits, irrespective of consequences, as to reputation in satisfying the trade, is dying out.

THE TIDE HAS TURNED.

B. STINE,

The "BOSS CLOTHIER!"

Has practically demonstrated the following facts:

Our Daily Increasing Business furnishes the evidence that we carry a Larger Stock of

Seasonable Clothing

FURNISHING GOODS.

HATS, CAPS, TRUNKS.

Sell more of them, a better quality, in material as well as trimmings and workmanship, and last, though not least, sell them for less money than any house in Decatur, and as low as any market in the United States.

100 Fine All-Wool Light Weight

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At \$10 per Suit, just received, the BIGGEST BARGAIN EVER OFFERED.

200 Fine All-Wool Cassimere Pants,

AT \$3.50.

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Comprising the Novelties of the Season. A Fine Assortment of

WHITE VESTS.

Children's Clothing a Specialty.

SQUARE DEALING, AND NO BULLDOZING.

Yours truly,

B. STINE,

THE "BOSS CLOTHIER."

May 21-d&wtf

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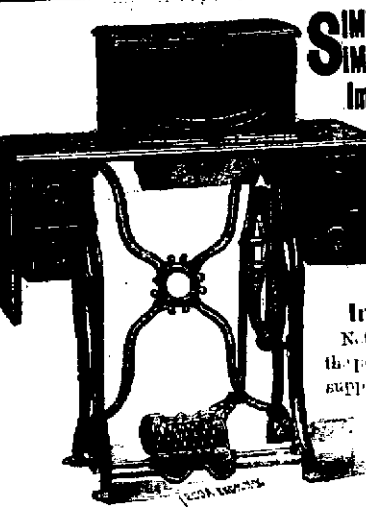
Having regard for the demand of this progressive age, we now offer to the world the

NEW VICTOR

WITH SEVERAL

Important Improvements.

Notwithstanding the VICTOR has long been the "peer of any machine in the market—a fact supported by a host of voluntary witnesses—we now confidently claim for it greater simplicity, a wonderful reduction of friction, and altogether a Rare Combination of Desirable Qualities. For sale by Merchants and others.



Don't buy until you have seen the lightest running machine in the world,—the Ever Reliable "VICTOR."

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June 13-d&wtf emtm

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Active parties to act as General State Agents for the sale of our specialties.

Business respectfully solicited. Goods sell rapidly. We pay a fair salary and expenses, or a liberal commission on sales. From \$100 to \$200 a month can be made by live men. For Address TRIMPH MFG CO., 111 Monroe St., Chicago, Ill.

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—OF—

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MONEY TO LOAN

IN VARIOUS SUMS ON THE

Most Favorable Terms,

Secured by Mortgage on Real Estate.

We keep a supply of

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On hand at all times, which we will sell at the

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A general Banking Business transacted, but no interest paid on deposits.

THE NEW PERFECT RETORT

Gas Cooking Stoves!

No. 3 Cook and No. 1 Oven, (American Style).

THESE BROIL

(in the open flame)

—AND—

Roast Your Meats, Fish, &c.,

TO PERFECTION.

They Bake, Broil, Stew, Fry, Toast, Heat and Boil Water for Washing.

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Do not heat up the house, nor the cook.

Cheaper than coal or wood, (this is guaranteed).

Perfectly clean. No coal, wood or ashes to handle. Fire instantly lighted. Safer and cleaner than oil stoves. Entirely free from smell of gas or smoke.

FOR SALE AT COST

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And at the Superintendent's Office at the Gas Works.

June 28-d&wtf

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ONE PRICE ONLY!



NO MISREPRESENTATION!

THE "POOR MAN'S FRIEND."

In accordance with the rule established for all our Branches, we begin every year with the 1st of July

THE CLEARING OUT SALE

—OF OUR—

Summer Stock

to make room for New Winter Stock now in course of being manufactured at our

Factory 244 North Clark street, Chicago. To those who want to buy

CLOTHING!

Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes,

Trunks and Furnishing Goods Cheap,

THIS OFFERS A GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY.

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July 3-d&wtf

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SPECIAL FLAVORING EXTRACTS.

Eminent Chemists and Physicians certify that these goods are free from adulteration, richer, more effective, produce better results than any others, and that they use them in their own families.

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TOOTH PASTE. An agreeable, beautiful Liquid Dentifrice.

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OF ALL KINDS.

Having recently added some of the best and most improved machinery to our shop, we claim to have the best facilities for doing work in our line in Central Illinois. Call and get estimates before going elsewhere.

ALL WORK WARRANTED TO GIVE SATISFACTION.

H. MUELLER & CO.,

Cor. E. Main and State Sts.,

Decatur, Illinois.

July 3, 1879-d&wtf

GUARDIAN'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, ss

Macon County,

In the County Court, August Term, A. D. 1879.

[TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:] TAKE notice that the undersigned, guardian of the estate of Arthur J. Gallagher, deceased, and assignee of the same for admeorandum, and settlement at a regular term of the County Court of Macon County, to be held on the 14th day of August, A. D. 1879, in the city of Decatur, Ill., on the 1st Monday of September, A. D. 1879, being the 1st day of said term.

And whereas, said note is now long past due, and part thereof is still unpaid, and the legal order thereof has been made application to the undersigned trustee to proceed and sell out the premises owned by said deceased, and the proceeds thereof to be paid to the holder thereof the sum of \$125.00, which it is claimed will be due on said note on the 14th day of August, A. D. 1879. Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that the undersigned trustee will, on

at ten o'clock a. m. of said day, at the outside door of the court house, in the city of Decatur, Ill., sell the premises, situate in the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st, 32nd, 33rd, 34th, 35th, 36th, 37th, 38th, 39th, 40th, 41st, 42nd, 43rd, 44th, 45th, 46th, 47th, 48th, 49th, 50th, 51st, 52nd, 53rd, 54th, 55th, 56th, 57th, 58th, 59th, 60th, 61st, 62nd, 63rd, 64th, 65th, 66th, 67th, 68th, 69th, 70th, 71st, 72nd, 73rd, 74th, 75th, 76th, 77th, 78th, 79th, 80th, 81st, 82nd, 83rd, 84th, 85th, 86th, 87th, 88th, 89th, 90th, 91st, 92nd, 93rd, 94th, 95th, 96th, 97th, 98th, 99th, 100th, 101st, 102nd, 103rd, 104th, 105th, 106th, 107th, 108th, 109th, 110th, 111th, 112th, 113th, 114th, 115th, 116th, 117th, 118th, 119th, 120th, 121st, 122nd, 123rd, 124th, 125th, 126th, 127th, 128th, 129th, 130th, 131st, 132nd, 133rd, 134th, 135th, 136th, 137th, 138th, 139th, 140th, 141st, 142nd, 143rd, 144th, 145th, 146th, 147th, 148th, 149th, 150th, 151st, 152nd, 153rd, 154th, 155th, 156th, 157th, 158th, 159th, 160th, 161st, 162nd, 163rd, 164th, 165th, 166th, 167th, 168th, 169th, 170th, 171st, 172nd, 173rd, 174th, 175th, 176th, 177th, 178th, 179th, 180th, 181st, 182nd, 183rd, 184th, 185th, 186th, 187th, 188th, 189th, 190th, 191st, 192nd, 193rd, 194th, 195th, 196th, 197th, 198th, 199th, 200th, 201st, 202nd, 203rd, 204th, 205th, 206th, 207th, 208th, 209th, 210th, 211st, 212th, 213th, 214th, 215th, 216th, 217th, 218th, 219th, 220th, 221st, 222nd, 223rd, 224th, 225th, 226th, 227th, 228th, 229th, 230th, 231st, 232nd, 233rd, 234th, 235th, 236th, 237th, 238th, 239th, 240th, 241st, 242nd, 243rd, 244th, 245th, 246th, 247th, 248th, 249th, 250th, 251st, 252nd, 253rd, 254th, 255th, 256th, 257th, 258th, 259th, 260th, 261st, 262nd, 263rd, 264th, 265th, 266th, 267th, 268th, 269th, 270th, 271st, 272nd, 273rd, 274th, 275th, 276th, 277th, 278th, 279th, 280th, 281st, 282nd, 283rd, 284th, 285th, 286th, 287th, 288th, 289th, 290th, 291st, 292nd, 293rd, 294th, 295th, 296th, 297th, 298th, 299th, 300th, 301st, 302nd, 303rd, 304th, 305th, 306th, 307th, 308th, 309th, 310th, 311st, 312th, 313th, 314th, 315th, 316th, 317th, 318th, 319th, 320th, 321st, 322nd, 323rd, 324th, 325th, 326th, 327th, 328th, 329th, 330th, 331st, 332nd, 333rd, 334th, 335th, 336th, 337th, 338th, 339th, 340th, 341st, 342nd, 343rd, 344th, 345th, 346th, 347th, 348th, 349th, 350th, 351st, 352nd, 353rd, 354th, 355th, 356th, 357th, 358th, 359th, 360th, 361st, 362nd, 363rd, 364th, 365th, 366th, 367th, 368th, 369th, 370th, 371st, 372nd, 373rd, 374th, 375th, 376th, 377th, 378th, 379th, 380th, 381st, 382nd, 383rd, 384th, 385th, 386th, 387th, 388th, 389th, 390th, 391st, 392nd, 393rd, 394th, 395th, 396th, 397th, 398th, 399th, 400th, 401st, 402nd, 403rd, 404th, 405th, 406th, 407th, 408th, 409th, 410th, 411st, 412th, 413th, 414th, 415th, 416th, 417th, 418th, 419th, 420th, 421st, 422nd, 423rd, 424th, 425th, 426th, 427th, 428th, 429th, 430th, 431st, 432nd, 433rd, 434th, 435th, 436th, 437th, 438th, 439th, 440th, 441st, 442nd, 443rd, 444th, 445th, 446th, 447th, 448th, 449th, 450th, 451st, 452nd, 453rd, 454th, 455th, 456th, 457th, 458th, 459th, 460th, 461st, 462nd, 463rd, 464th, 465th, 466th, 467th, 468th, 469th, 470th, 471st, 472nd, 473rd, 474th, 475th, 476th, 477th, 478th, 479th, 480th, 481st, 482nd, 483rd, 484th, 485th, 486th, 487th, 488th, 489th, 490th, 491st, 492nd, 493rd, 494th, 495th, 496th, 497th, 498th, 499th, 500th, 501st, 502nd, 503rd, 504th, 505th, 506th, 507th, 508th, 509th, 510th, 511st, 512th, 513th, 514th, 515th, 516th, 517th, 518th, 519th, 520th, 521st, 522nd, 523rd, 524th, 525th, 526th, 527th, 528th, 529th, 530th, 531st, 532nd, 533rd, 534th, 535th, 536th, 537th, 538th, 539th, 540th, 541st, 542nd, 543rd, 544th, 545th, 546th, 547th, 548th, 549th, 550th, 551st, 552nd, 553rd, 554th, 555th, 556th, 557th, 558th, 559th, 560th, 561st, 562nd, 563rd, 564th, 565th, 566th, 567th, 568th, 569th, 570th, 571st, 572nd, 573rd, 574th, 575th, 576th, 577th, 578th, 579th, 580th, 581st, 582nd, 583rd, 584th, 585th, 586th, 587th, 588th, 589th, 590th, 591st, 592nd, 593rd, 594th, 595th, 596th, 597th, 598th, 599th, 600th, 601st, 602nd, 603rd, 604th, 605th, 606th, 607th, 608th, 609th, 610th, 611st, 612th, 613th, 614th, 615th, 616th, 617th, 618th, 619th, 620th, 621st, 622nd, 623rd, 624th, 625th, 626th, 627th, 628th, 629th, 630th, 631st, 632nd, 633rd, 634th, 635th, 636th, 637th, 638th, 639th, 640th, 641st, 642nd, 643rd, 644th, 645th, 646th, 647th, 648th, 649th, 650th, 651st, 652nd, 653rd, 654th, 655th, 656th, 657th, 658th, 659th, 660th, 661st, 662nd, 663rd, 664th, 665th, 666th, 667th, 668th, 669th, 670th, 671st, 672nd, 673rd, 674th, 675th, 676th, 677th, 678th, 679th, 680th, 681st, 682nd, 683rd, 684th, 685th, 686th, 687th, 688th, 689th, 690th, 691st, 692nd, 693rd, 6

It is still hoped that the yellow fever will not become a general epidemic throughout the South this year. It is certainly probable that it has as yet not shown itself where, other than at Memphis, except in the cases of refugees from that city to other places, and in these instances it has not spread.

The exodus from Memphis may be more readily estimated when it is stated that out of a population of some 45,000 only 16,110 now remain, as shown by the census taken by the police, especially detailed for the purpose. Of the whole number there are: whites, 4,283; colored, 11,827; adults, 10,551; children, 5,559; number who have had yellow fever, 8,743; number who have not had yellow fever, 7,367.

ANOTHER DEATH.

Rev. L. Crane, of Shelbyville, Ill. this morning.

Five days ago we announced the severe illness of Rev. James L. Crane, pastor of the M. E. church at Shelbyville, and to-day it becomes our painful duty to chronicle his death, which occurred at 10 o'clock this morning. He was prostrated by a stroke of apoplexy six days ago, but never rallied.

The deceased, who was well-known to many of our citizens, was born in Ohio in 1824. He came to Grandview, Edgar co., when a very young man, and worked there some time at the tailoring trade. He attended the Presbyterian Seminary at Paris for a long time, and in 1846 joined the Illinois Conference of the M. E. church, in which he has since remained. He was for twelve years a presiding elder, and was twice a delegate to the general conference. During the war he served as chaplain of the 1st Illinois (Grant's) old line regiment, and was afterwards commander of the 1st Illinois Cavalry. He became a member of the M. E. church at Springfield, and was for some time a member of the M. E. church at Decatur.

Mr. Crane leaves a widow, five sons and two daughters. He was the author of "The Two Christs," a well-written book of 500 pages, published in 1876, which met with a large sale in the denomination. The funeral will take place at Shelbyville to-morrow afternoon, and will be attended by some of Mr. Crane's more intimate Decatur friends.

One of the city of Paris are being renamed, and one of them has been named Lincoln, in compliment to our worthy president.

EX-CONGRESSMAN James M. Ashley, of Toledo, O., who, after being a stalwart Republican during Lincoln's Administration, and all through the war, suddenly became soreheaded, joined the "Independents," and afterwards acted with the Democrats, has returned to his first love, having become heartily sick of his political associates. He publicly announces his return to the Republican party, and will take the stump in Ohio next month, for the Porter and Hickenlooper.

Mr. Ashley is a very vigorous political speaker. The tenant-farmers of England pay rentals to the amount of \$335,000,000 per year to the land-owners; those of Ireland, \$638,000,000, and of Scotland \$70,000,000. But little of the land in that country is occupied or cultivated by the owners, it being leased out to tenants, who do the hard work, and the aristocratic owners reap the profits. The hard times in England are causing deep agitation on this subject of rentals, and a demand for revolutionary measures is growing up.—Chicago Journal.

THE Boston people sojourning at the suburb of Highland Lake Grove were treated to a sermon by the Rev. Henry Ward Beecher on Sunday last. The closing paragraph was as follows:

The worst thing that could happen to humanity would be to deprive us of the belief in immortality. Indeed, a belief in a bad eternity is better than none. Speaking to many of you for the first and last time, I ask you not to join any church or denomination, but to live lives of righteousness with a firm and constant purpose to strive for a life higher up. I speak, not as a minister, but as a man, and beseech you to live lives worthy of your manhood, and the Great Master will recognize and reward your efforts.

THE Chicago Legal News says that "the last year has been the hardest of any year since the organization of courts in this city upon the local bar. Many able men have been driven out of the profession, while some who have remained and attempted to support themselves by their professional labors, have heavily kept themselves and their families from starving. Too many are rushing to the bar. It is better to be a good blacksmith, or carpenter, or farmer, with plenty to do, than to be a lawless lawyer. What is true of the legal profession is also true of the ministerial and medical professions. There are too many ministers—too many doctors. It is not well for a country to have its proportion of professional men too great."

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THE NEW DEAL.

The First of a Series of Quiet Sunday-Schools, and its Effects.

From the Peoria Transcript. A new deal was sprung upon Peoria, yesterday, with the history of which, and the causes leading to the change in matters, our readers have been made familiar through the columns of the Transcript. In brief, the temperance people in the city started in upon a systematic and successful prosecution of the saloon-keepers who opened their places of business on Sunday for the sale of liquors. Then the saloon-keepers thought that what was sauce for the goose was sauce for the gander, and so resolved on the enforcement of the Sunday laws wherever they would apply. To further this purpose they formed an association, appointed committees and prepared for work. On Saturday they caused merchants, manufacturers, tradesmen, mechanics, peddlers, printers, newspaper publishers, and in fact all classes doing business or engaged in any sort of traffic in the city, to be served with formal notices to quit the transaction and prosecution of such business or traffic on Sunday, under pain of arrest for violation of the law. This order became the topic of very general comment on Saturday night, and but a small proportion of the people imagined it would be carried into effect, and many business men and saloon-keepers announced their intention of paying no heed to the manifesto. But yesterday came, and with it an unusual quiet. Men looked each other in the face with inquiry animating every feature, and the favorite exclamation at the turn of matters and things had taken was, "Well, by George!" To the committee of the saloon-keepers' league it was well, whether by George or by some other agency. The fact gradually dawned upon everybody that "something was up"—principally the store shutters, and "the Sunday law," designated after the most improved Puritan model, was actually in force.

As early as nine o'clock in the morning large and small parties of men gathered upon the street corners, along Adams and Main streets, and the hotels, everyone engaged in discussing the all-absorbing topic. To give in detail the various opinions expressed would require many columns of space, to give them in brief requires but four words: "It won't last long." Such was the opinion of hundreds, expressed in hundreds of ways. The Transcript reporter visited police headquarters and found a well-known gentleman ready to express an opinion. "What do you think of this thing?" queried the newspaperman. "I think," said the gentleman, "that the condition of things to-day will last to day, and no longer. In my opinion it's all a fool piece of business, and the men at the head of it have gone too far." Turning to Superintendent Daily the reporter asked: "What do you think of it?" The guardian of the public peace smiled, and in effect replied that he had no confidence in the staying qualities of the new regime.

The practical effects of the saloon-keepers' raid might be summed up in a few words. Business of all sorts was suspended, save hotels, restaurants and drug stores, and in the latter places the sale of cigars was prohibited. A few ice cream saloons one cigar store, one saloon and one barber shop were known to be open, and the places were visited by the league committees, notes taken, evidence and proofs gathered, and preparations made to prosecute the unlucky parties this morning. It is needless to say that the one saloon in question did a "hand office business," and was thronged from early morning until nearly midnight. The committee halted milk peddlers on the street, secured their names and places of residence and permitted them to go on; the same treatment was accorded the drivers of street cars on the various lines throughout the city. At 6 o'clock p. m., the names of alleged violators numbered more than 100, all to be tried before his august honor this morning.

As to the day at Central Park, it was dull, horribly dull, as compared with the Sundays in the past, when the amber beer flowed freely and King Hambrinus was the particular object of interest and adoration. The park saloon was closed as tight as a rich relative's pocket. The eagles in the "menagerie" winked and blinked one at the other in a knowing way, while the black bear unheeded his peanuts with melancholy satisfaction, his classic face bereft of the intelligent smile so familiar to visitors at the park. Scattered about the grounds were probably two hundred people—mostly women and children—everybody looked dull and tired. Everything was dead and ready to be buried. The festive ten-pins no more stood in battle array, and the voice of the game-keeper was silent, while the trees nodded to each other and whispered confidential messages back and forth. The artesian well continued to pour forth its aqueous and highly-scented treasure, and in the language of the ancient mariner, there was "water, water everywhere, but not a drop to drink."

The street car travel was about fifty per cent. of the usual Sunday figures when it has been known that beer flowed freely at the park.

The scenes at the police courts this morning will doubtless be of an exceedingly interesting character, and crowded houses may be considered certainities.

EXPRESSED THEIR DELIGHT. Thousands of ladies of refinement have expressed their delight at finding such delicate, fresh, flowery fragrance in Dr. Price's Unique Perfumes, Petal Rose, Lily of the Valley, Evening Violet, and his other odors. Ladies and gentlemen of taste appreciate the sweetness of Dr. Price's Perfumes.

THE DEATH PENALTY.

Capital punishment was abolished in Switzerland four years ago, and since its abolition there has been such an increase in the country in crimes of violence, especially of murder, that petitions, signed by 30,000 persons, for restoration of the death penalty, have been presented to the Federal Council. The Council has been seriously considering the question for six months, and has decided that the statistics of four years do not give data sufficient for a definite and satisfactory conclusion. They have looked up the facts and figures of crime in other lands, where murder is punishable and punished with death, and find that violence has increased there not less than in Switzerland. In England there were twenty-two executions in 1877, against four in 1871; in Belgium, ninety-two in 1877, against sixty-two in 1861, and in France thirty-one in both years. In Denmark, Holland, Italy, Germany and Austria, murder has terribly augmented in the same time; and is due, in the opinion of Council, to growth of misery, licentiousness and intemperance. The last four or five years have been specially marked by poverty, wretchedness and suffering throughout civilization, and where these are in usual proportion, crime is likewise. Much of what we understand to be sin is the direct or indirect result of unhappiness in some form.—N. Y. Times.

[The people of Switzerland have recently voted upon the question, and decided by a large majority to re-establish the death penalty.]

Playing it too Fine.

From the Cincinnati Gazette.

To bring Mr. Tilden into the Presidency through a canal across Florida, would be a new route to the White House. Montgomery Blair is said to have arranged it. A project for a canal is to be agitated, it is to be made so imminent by the reported eagerness of French capitalists to put their money in it that the Governor is to call the Legislature together nominally to grant a charter, but really to have a bill enacted to change the election of President. Electors from the people to the Legislature, as the Governor and Montgomery are doubtful of the ability of the Democrats to carry the State. The correspondent of the New York Tribune at Jacksonville writes that accordingly some Frenchmen are playing their part, the Jacksonvilleans are excited with the expectation of wealth, and the thing is working. But both Tilden and Montgomery Blair must be in their dotage if they think to capture the Presidency in this way.

ONE WEEK IN WALL STREET.

October 7th, 1878, Western Union Telegraph stock sold at the New York Exchange for 96 1/8 per share, October 14th, 1878, it sold at 83 3/4, a fluctuation of 13 1/8 per cent. In a few days, 12,000 shares sold on a margin of one per cent required an actual capital of \$12,500. The same stock delivered at 83 3/4 gave a profit of 9.38 per cent. on the stock or \$937.50 per 100 shares. On the whole 12,000 the actual profit was \$117,187.50 or 9.38 times the capital used, in one week. This is a single case taken from the official record of the Stock Exchange, and shows how money is made so rapidly in stocks. Few people, however, have the necessary capital to put up in order to realize such enormous profits as these, but capital in any amount from \$10 to \$50,000 can be used with equal success by the new combination system of operating in stocks which Messrs. Lawrence & Co., Bankers, New York, have established. By this method of pooling thousands of orders in various sums and operating them as one immense capital, shareholders realize large profits which are divided pro rata monthly. New circular contains two interesting rules for success, and full information, so that anyone can operate profitably Stocks and bonds wanted. Government bonds supplied. Apply to Lawrence & Co., Bankers, 57 Exchange Place, New York.

A LONDON journal congratulates the country that, for the first time in the history of the nation, a time of general business distress is not made worse by high-priced bread. It says: "The loaf which, thanks to American corn, the people can put on their tables to-day, is a bigger and better loaf than they have ever been able to put on their tables under similar circumstances before."

A SPECIAL number of the congressional record lately issued shows that the estimated value of the mackerel taken in American waters during a period of five years, beginning July 1, 1873, and ending June 30, 1878, was \$10,560,790. The total value of the marine fisheries of Canada for the year 1876 is estimated to be \$11,093,650. The estimated value of the marine fisheries of the United States in the same year was \$20,278,829.

Wanted. I will be in Decatur, at Caldwell Bro.'s Livery Stable, from Tuesday, July 29th, to Saturday, August 2d, 1879, for the purpose of buying horses, weighing from 900 to 1,500 pounds; must be in good condition, for which the highest market price will be paid. ALFRED WILKINS. July 24th

We congratulate Messrs. Wheelock, Finlay & Co., of New Orleans, La., upon their happy idea of giving to the public information of the contents of Dr. F. Wilhoft's Anti-Periodic or Fever and Ague Tonic, which of late has gained such well-deserved popularity among the people. As far as we know, this is the only proprietary remedy for the cure of Chills and Fever, the composition of which is not kept a secret. For sale by all druggists. July 17-d&w

We guarantee Price, color and quality of all the goods we sell, but from this date will take no goods back because the purchaser makes a mistake; as goods are always more or less damaged, and remnants always entail losses that cannot be borne on account of the very small profits. July 19-d&w LINN & SCRUGGS.

TELEGRAPHIC THE FEVER.

Its Slow Progress in Memphis.

A Case at the St. Louis Quarantine.

MEMPHIS, July 28.—Three new cases were reported to the board of health this morning. No death had occurred. A detail of twenty-five men from the colored military company has been made to do police duty during the day, as the entire strength of the regular police force have been assigned to night service. It has been raining steadily since daylight.

Dr. Samuel J. Fox, of Ennis, Texas, arrived this morning. He will be sent out of the city to night by order of John Johnson, superintendent of quarantine, as the doctor has never had the fever, and inspectors at quarantine stations have been instructed not to permit unacclimated people to enter the city.

MEMPHIS, July 28.—9 p. m.—Ten additional cases were reported to the board of health this afternoon, six of whom were colored. Two deaths from yellow fever occurred, one, however, beyond the city limits.

The special policemen engaged in taking the census of the city completed their task to-day. The result shows the population of Memphis to be 16,110. Whites 4,283, colored 11,827; adults 10,551, children 5,559; of whom 8,743 have had the fever, leaving 7,367 susceptible to the disease.

Failing to secure transportation to the site selected for the establishment of a camp on the Paducah railroad, this afternoon at 5 o'clock Col. John R. Cameron, with a detail of 16 colored soldiers, took passage on a train furnished by Superintendent Mike Burke, of the Mississippi & Tennessee railroad, and established a camp five miles south of the city, one mile below where Camp Joe Williams was established last year. Tents were taken along, and by morning the detail will have fifty tents ready for occupation.

The secretary of war telegraphs D. T. Porter, chief of the executive committee, that rations will be furnished only to those who are sick with yellow fever or in camps. A. D. Langstaff, president, and Gen. W. A. Smith, vice president of the Howard Association, have been added to the executive committee on committee of safety.

The steamer Belle Memphis, from St. Louis arrived this evening. She will discharge her cargo and return to St. Louis to-morrow morning, taking neither passengers nor freight.

St. Louis, July 28.—Although not officially reported, there is good authority for saying there is one well defined case of yellow fever at the quarantine hospital—Lizzie Brandy, a two-year-old child of Mrs. Brandy, of Memphis. No steamer arrived at quarantine to-day.

The grand jury in their report to the criminal court described their visit to quarantine last Friday, and strongly censured the health commissioner, Chas. W. Francis, of this city for his conduct while they were there. They charged him with forbidding them to land, asserting in the presence of a large crowd of passengers who were just leaving the station, that there were five cases of yellow fever in the hospital when there was not a single case developed, and with being drunk.

They recommended his dismissal and the appointment of a physician in his place. It is reported and generally believed to-night, that among the indictments presented to the court by the grand jury to-day, was one against Health Commissioner Francis, charging him generally with misdemeanor in office, the charge being based upon his alleged conduct while the jury were at quarantine last Friday.

New York, July 28.—Dr. Crosby says the work of revising the Bible moves slowly but satisfactorily, and will certainly consume three years more. It is on the card to remove the Park Police and Dock Commissioners, Tilden being resolved to so humble Tammany before the meeting of the state convention as to enforce Tammany to his own terms.

Ex-Congressman Rainey says: "The Republican party of South Carolina is intact, but though there is a large Republican majority of voters in the state, the bull-dozing methods of Democrats will prevent the majority from carrying the election. The courts are controlled by local sentiment, so there is no use in appealing to them. If a crowd or mob says 'hang him' or 'crucify him' the courts will obey."

Judge Thomas Settle, of North Carolina, said he thought that in Florida and North Carolina the Republicans would organize on a solid platform, and would struggle hard to carry those states in 1880. A disposition was still shown in the South to awe and intimidate the negroes.

WASHINGTON, July 28.—The Republican Committee, here, are having a thorough canvass of all the departments made, with a view to finding out what clerks have a right to vote in the States, how often they have voted since they have been in office, what ticket they voted at the last election, and what ticket they intend to vote at the next. To the amazement of the committee, the reports from one of the de-

partments show almost a Democratic majority of employees therein. A case of cholera it reported from Chester, Pa., on the line of the Philadelphia and Wilmington road.

It is astonishing with what rapidity ulcerous sores and eruptive maladies are cured by HENRY'S CARBOLIC SALVE, an external antidote to unhealthy conditions of the skin which is preferred by physicians to every other preparation containing the carbolic element. It is undoubtedly the finest antiseptic and purifier extant. It acts like a charm on purulent eruptions and has also been successfully used for rheumatism and sore throat.—Sold by S. M. Irwin, the Live Druggist. July 16-d&w

It has long been the boast of England that upon the British Empire the sun never sets. It is not generally known that the same is true of the United States although we do not own colonies scattered in every quarter of the globe. Yet our territory from Knatport, Me., to the farthest Aleutian Isle in Alaska extends through 197 degrees of longitude, or 17 degrees more than half way around the earth. So when the sun is rising upon the coast of Maine it has not yet ceased to shine upon the fishermen of the far Alaskan shore.

THE editor of the Peoria Journal feels bad because he can't afford to take a trip to Europe. He says: "It is only city editors of wealthy corporations that can afford this luxury. It is all the ordinary editor can do to raise money to go to a circus on a free ticket, much less to Europe."

MEKLE Seamless Side-lace Shoes, for Ladies, at Ferriss's. Perfect fitting, no seams, and consequently no ripping—an elegant style, for \$2.50. Feb. 18-d&w

One hundred doz. ladies and children's hose, at 5 cents a pair, just received by mth&w LINN & SCRUGGS.

100,000 Bushels of Corn Wanted by Linn & Scruggs, for which they will pay two cents a bushel more than the highest market price in merchandise, at lowest cash prices, the corn to be delivered at D. S. Shellbarger & Co.'s mill. Jan. 1-d&w

If you want the best woven corset in the market, ask for the Newport, at Linn & Scruggs' may10-d&w

The Comfort Patent Corset—Bortree's Adjustable, Foy's Supporter, Moody's Abdominal, Glove Fitting, Hundred Bones, together with the best and cheapest French Corsets in the city, at Jan. 23-d&w LINN & SCRUGGS'

MARKET REPORT.

DECATUR, ILL., July 29, 1879. GRAIN MARKET. FLOUR—patent process, selling per hundred lbs. \$3.50 FLOUR—Red wheat selling per hundred lbs. 2.75 FLOUR—White wheat selling per hundred lbs. 2.50 CORN MEAL—White selling 55¢/40 Yellow 50¢/40 SHORTS—Per hundred, selling 1.50 CORN—Per bushel, selling 1.25 WHEAT—Per bushel, selling .95 OATS—Per bushel, selling .75 RYE—Per bushel, selling .85

PORK MARKET. BUTTER—Per lb. 12¢/10 EGGS—Per dozen .40 APPLES—Per bushel .60 TIMOTHY HAY—New, per ton 8.00 FAT CATTLE—Per cwt. 3.00/24.00 PORK—Per cwt. 12.00/14.00 WOOD—Fire, unwashed, 3.00/3.25 Washed, 3.25/3.50 HIDES—Green, 12¢/14¢ Damaged, 8¢/10¢ SHEEP—Per cwt. 1.50 TALLOW—Per pound .45

PARK INSTITUTE!

FOR GIRLS AND YOUNG LADIES, 103 and 105 ADELPHI AVENUE, CHICAGO. A thoroughly organized School of the First Grade. Twenty-one experienced and able Teachers. Unusual facilities for the study of Music, Art and the Sciences. Special attention to the English Studies. Ample Boarding Accommodations. Terms reasonable. For particulars address JULY 28—Miss A. E. BATES, Principal.

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, ss. Macon County. Mary E. Campbell vs. Richard J. Roberts et al. Foreclosure—No. 10,797.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in the court of the said county, A. D. 1878, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said county, on Wednesday, the 20th day of August, A. D. 1879, at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west end of the court house, in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate situated in the town of Macon and the 2nd principal meridian, beginning one chain and 11 links north of the southwest corner of lot one, thence north 2 chains and 25 links, thence east 4 chains and 25 links, thence south 2 chains and 25 links, thence west 4 chains and 30 links to the place of beginning, situated in said county and state. The terms of sale are on six and twelve months, each note for half the purchase money, drawing eight per cent. per annum from date, to be secured by mortgage on the premises. LEWIS E. WITTS, Administrator of Charles D. Witta, deceased. July 24-d&w

Administrator's Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned will, on the 23rd day of August, 1879, at the west end of the court house, in Decatur, Macon county, State of Illinois, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m., sell at public auction the following described real estate, to-wit: Part of lot one in the northeast quarter of section 23, township 36, range 2 east of the 2nd principal meridian, beginning one chain and 11 links north of the southwest corner of lot one, thence north 2 chains and 25 links, thence east 4 chains and 25 links, thence south 2 chains and 25 links, thence west 4 chains and 30 links to the place of beginning, situated in said county and state. The terms of sale are on six and twelve months, each note for half the purchase money, drawing eight per cent. per annum from date, to be secured by mortgage on the premises. LEWIS E. WITTS, Administrator of Charles D. Witta, deceased. July 24-d&w

WASHINGTON HOUSE!

THIS HOUSE has lately changed hands and been fitted up in good style. Day and weekly boarders can be accommodated. MEALS ONLY 25 CENTS. We solicit the patronage of the traveling public. E. SCHULZ, Proprietor. June 17, 1879—d&w

ONE-PRICE CASH DRY GOODS HOUSE!

F. L. HAYS & CO.

NO. 25 NORTH WATER STREET,

Have just received a large variety of Shetland Wool Lace Shirts from \$1 to \$2.75, and Shetland Wool Lace Sacques at \$1.50, blue, cardinal and white.

Ladies' Linen Dusters, \$2.00 to \$3.50. Mohair Dusters, \$3.50.

Handsome Embroidery and Percule trim-med Linen Suits, at \$4.00.

Lawn Suits, at \$3.50 to \$6. Polkadot Percule Suits, at \$4.50, very stylish.

All-Wool Bunting, 25c. New Patterns Linen Lawns.

Cotton Parasols, 10 cents to \$1. Silk Parasols, 75 cents to \$7.50.

Elegant Stock Summer Skirts, 50c to \$2. Full Stock Ladies' Hosiery, 5c to \$1. Gents' Half Hose, 5c to 50c.

Ladies' and Children's Gloves, Lace Mitts, &c., all prices.

Ladies' All-Linen Handkerchiefs, 5c to \$1. Domestic Departments Crowded Full of New Choice Goods.

Decatur, June 4—d&w

ALL accounts agree that there has been an unusual demand for cheaply made or shoddy boots or shoes. It is a very short-sighted policy to buy or sell such stuff. In using these goods you pay out twice as much money in a year for your boots and shoes, and you never have a pair that fits, because manufacturers of the cheap grades give no attention to the fit of their work. We trust that people who buy shoddy work will turn over a new leaf in this matter and practice true economy, by making quality the first consideration of their purchases of boots and shoes. At the popular Boot and Shoe House of L. L. Ferriss you can get prime, and very sensible Boots and Shoes for as little money as you can buy cheaper grades elsewhere. His goods are made from the choicest materials, over improved styles of lasts, graded in size and width to fit the human foot properly—and no shoddy nor deception there. Mr. Ferriss does a one-price cash business, and can afford to sell very low. You can find the largest assortment in the city of strictly good goods at Ferriss' New Shoe Store, 11 East Main street, being just across the street from his old store and one door east of Mullikin's Bank. June 28th, 1879—d&w

NOW IS YOUR TIME!

In order to reduce, and, if possible, to EFFECT A CLEAN CLEARANCE SALE before purchasing our Fall Stock, we are determined to sell anything and everything in the subjoined departments

AT ACTUAL COST!

AND HAVE SO MARKED THE GOODS. Call in and be convinced of the sincerity of our offer.

OUR SPECIALS ARE:

In Corsets we offer a large and varied display; but desire to especially mention our hand-seamed made, with side steel and double busk, retailing the world over at 75 cents, we offer them as specials for 50 cents.

For a cheap and durable Summer Corset, we beg leave to call your attention to our Hip Girdle Corsets, at 20 cents.

We show a full, regular made Ladies' Hose, in brown and bleached, at 20 cents, that can be had nowhere else for less than 33 1/3 cents; also plain colors and stripes, both in Children's and Ladies' Hose.

In Handkerchiefs we show an all-linen ladies' size for 7 cents.

In Folding Japanese Fans our assortment and prices are unequalled, and the admiration of all who see them.

In Parasols we offer as handsome a line in plain, black and brown, (new and not shelf-worn), as can be found in this city, at 20 per cent. less than ever offered before anywhere.

A \$1.00 Unlaundried Shirt, made with 1800 linen bosom, cuffs and bands, we are selling at 75 cents—a perfect fit, and quality as represented guaranteed.

We would also direct your attention to our 47 1/2 Cent Unlaundried Shirt, not an all-linen bosom and cuffs as represented by unscrupulous dealers, but a good union. This Shirt we recommend as by far the Cheapest Unlaundried Shirt in the market.

In Embroideries and Laces we lead.

In Ruchings we can show as complete a line as can be found in the city, having not less than 100 boxes in stock in reserve.

To appreciate our bargains you must see the goods, as in all cases a purchase is sure to follow.

CHEAP STORE,

18 Merchant St., Decatur, Illinois.

July 19—d&w

New Spring Stock

BOOTS & SHOES

I AM NOW RECEIVING

New, Fresh Goods FOR THE Spring Trade.

And am prepared for Business.

G. F. WESSELS.

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The Daily Republican.

TUESDAY EVENING, JULY 29, 1919.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

Last night of "Pinafore."
Lecture coats at B. Stine's 21-41
All kinds of military novelties at Miss A. Miller's.

Boy horse feed of Niedermeyer, on the Mount.

NOVELTIES in fine Scotch cassimere suits at B. Stine's may 21-41

If you wish to make a certainty of catching any train at night, leave orders at the St. Nicholas for the hotel carriage. The Frank Smith case is still on trial at Justice Peake's court. It will probably end this evening.

The temperance folks are making big preparations for their sociable and festival to be given at the tabernacle to night. Let everybody go.

The big howl which visited the city last evening savored strongly of a young tornado. No damage done.

Five handkerchief perfumery and ladies' toilet goods at W. C. Armstrong's drug store.

FOR RENT—A dwelling house of eight rooms on West Wood street. House recently overhauled and fitted up nicely. Clean and well water on the premises. Apply to M. Forstmyer, at the county jail.

Is Charles Schuman will call at this office and describe his lost pocket book and contents, he may have the same on paying for this notice.

SOCIABLE and festival to-night at the tabernacle. The school teachers and everybody else are cordially invited to attend. Refreshments will be served at moderate prices.

Tak St. Nicholas billiard hall is being thoroughly overhauled to-day. David Levy is hanging the new paper, and Tommy Andrews says he will place in position this week six new and elegant billiard tables, of the Colander manufacture. It will require an outlay of about \$2,500.

The Agricultural Board of Peoria county have secured Ramus and Hopfield to give exhibition trot during their fair, commencing Sept. 23. The price to be paid is \$5,000, for both horses. Efforts are being made to have these celebrated horses at our county fair, commencing Sept. 23.

To PROPERLY appreciate the following from the Springfield Register of to-day, it must be known that the religious colored people of Springfield and vicinity have been holding a big camp meeting at Oak Ridge Park, for two weeks past.

Watermelons have appeared in the market, and the camp meeting will continue another week.

What's the matter with our fine grade of silk parasols? They are manufactured by Wm. A. Brown & Co., N. Y. are all this season's goods, equal to the best in the market. The only fault that some people have found with these goods is that they were too cheap. If asking more money for them will improve the article in the imagination of some buyers they can be accommodated. If, on the other hand, they want a genuine bargain in first-class goods, they had better look twice before they invest.

Sol. Moritz & Co.,
Proprietors Cheap Store
29 dtf

Church Notice.
The ladies of the First M. E. congregation will give their regular monthly church sociable and festival in the lecture room of that church, on next Thursday evening. Tempting refreshments will be served. All are cordially invited.

O, Dear!
"She clasped her hands on my arm,
She laid her cheek on my shoulder;
The side of her face I saw
As she trembled to bid her
I whispered a plying word—"

Here the poet was interrupted by the gentle zephyrs from the South, bearing upon its wings the fragrant odor of "Pot de Chambre Avenue," passing conception or description, but must be inhaled to be appreciated. After the first surprise being over—

"Smoothing back her loose blowing hair,
And she saw drawing closer the white-
She drank in the strong-scented air,
And passed the time with a smile."

PRO BONO PUBLICO.

Real Estate Transfers.
Documents filed for record in the circuit clerk's office July 28th:

Wm. Greenfield to Ambrose Perry and John W. Greenfield and W. G. Prather; warranty deed, 934 acres, in sections 13 and 33, town 16, range 3 east—\$1 \$100 to be paid by Prather to John Church when he is 21.

Frank Prather to Robert F. Kincaid; warranty deed to lot 14, block 3, Prather, Martin & Galling's Addition to Decatur—\$400.

J. Q. A. Odor and wife to Levi G. Kaufman; warranty deed to lot 4, block 6, in Durfee & King's Addition to Decatur—\$1500.

Others Listed.

At a meeting of Decatur Lodge of Good Templars, held on Monday evening, July 28th, the following officers were elected for the ensuing three months:

James J. Finn, W. C. T.;
Miss Ella Campbell, W. V. T.
Mrs. R. C. Hamaker, W. F. S.
Richard E. Schaff, W. F. S.
Miss Emma Williams, W. T.
William Leiby, W. M.
Miss Ella Wyatt, W. L. G.
James Coulter, W. S.

Still Ahead!
Many people wonder at our low prices. But, ladies and gentlemen, a simple sixpence is better than a slow shilling. And all summer goods must be closed out of our store at once. Doing business on this principle, and buying and selling strictly for cash, is the secret of our present low prices, and has built up our five large flourishing stores, and is still increasing the business of Lambert & Co., proprietors of the

POPULAR NEW YORK STORE.
July 22-dwt

CONVENT TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

The Opening Exercises Yesterday—Names of Instructors and Teachers in Attendance.

The third annual institute of the Macon County Teachers' Association convened at the High school building, on Monday, July 28th, at 2 p. m.

The institute opened with singing, after which all joined with Prof. I. E. Brown in repeating the Lord's prayer.

Then followed a brief address by Mr. John Trainer, county superintendent of schools. Mr. Trainer has charge of the institute, and will manage it as he does everything else, splendidly.

The following are the names of the instructors:

Supt. John Trainer will bear classes in United States History, Penmanship, Orthography and Natural Philosophy.

Prof. Brown, classes in Chemistry, Reading and Arithmetic.

Mrs. John T. Montgomery, classes in Grammar, Zoology and Physiology.

Miss Lucy Irwin, classes in Geography and Botany.

Mr. S. S. Mountz, classes in Algebra and Physical Geography.

The following are the names of all the attending students enrolled yesterday:

B. S. Mountz, Warrensburg; Thos. Finn and John A. Smith, Decatur; E. B. Smith, Orono; J. D. Logan, Blue Mound; E. H. Morgan, Illinois; Patrick Kelly, Argenta; J. J. Garver and J. H. Black, Decatur; Charles Freshman, Harrison; Le Grand Payne, Decatur; D. W. Stookey, Harrison; J. E. Martin and B. L. Martin, Cerro Gordo; C. T. Pope, Blue Mound; C. M. Parker, Natick; Albert Hurst, Blue Mound; J. S. Campbell, Decatur; Miss Jennie E. Young, Ruth A. Oliver, H. May Fuller, Laura Fulton and Laura B. Martin, Decatur; Miss Sarah Sanderson, Maroa; John M. Nicky, Oakley; G. E. Krout, do; B. F. Cloud, Dalton City; A. Wilson, Argenta; James Hasto, Bangor Station; E. M. McVee, E. T. Sutton, S. J. McBride, Misses Jane Newman, Ross Judson, Ettie Morthland, Mrs. E. Young, Mrs. A. E. Murphy, Decatur; Mrs. C. M. Ritchie, Warrensburg; Miss Martha K. Clough, Harrison; Miss Jennie Mount, Mr. A. D. Cornell, Decatur; Miss Ida M. Mier, E. B. Mountz, Miss Anna Conover, Decatur; Miss Mary J. Clark, Harrison; Miss Sarah Spooner, Blue Mound; Miss Mary Johnson, Macon; Miss Beattie A. Gilman, Warrensburg; Miss Laura Montgomery, Miss Abbie Pratt, Miss Alida R. Handy, Miss Ella Lehman, Decatur; W. H. Kuyper, E. M. McVee, E. T. Sutton, Hattie J. Brown; Ella Bear, Nellie L. Hendricks, Lucy Irwin, M. F. Patton, L. H. Montgomery, Belle Falton, Josie Shea, Decatur; Ada Wallace, Jennie Sanders, Casner; Miss Mary Murhead, Rose Baker; Miss Williams, Decatur; Miss Mary Heath, Oakley; Miss Hannah Heath, E. B. Magie, Patterson, Macon; G. S. Gorman, Decatur.

The institute will be in session four weeks. Many will strive for first grade certificates, and the balance will content themselves with second grade recommendations.

Pinafore Last Night.

A large and critical audience greeted the New York comic opera company, at the opera house last evening. The troupe numbers about 20 artists, who gave a pleasing rendition of the popular opera, entitled "H. M. S. Pinafore," or, the Lass that Loved a Sailor. Miss Susie Parker, a charming young vocalist, took the difficult part of "Josephine," and received rapturous applause at the conclusion of each number. She has a pleasing stage presence and a highly cultivated voice which is a fortune to her. The character of "Little Buttercup" was well taken by Miss Emma Hooker, who is deserving of the highest praise. H. J. Wetherell makes a good "Dick Deadeye," and S. S. Lee as "Ralph Rackstraw," would do better if he had a stronger pair of lungs.

H. J. Jones personated "Sir Joseph Porter, the Rules of the Queen's Navy," acceptably, and M. A. Todd as "Captain Corecoran," was fairly done. While the choruses in some parts are weak, they came out strongly and grandly in others. It is a worthy musical entertainment and should attract a crowded house to-night, when the opera will be repeated for the last time by this company in this city.

An Explosion at the Coal Shaft.

The "manhead" of the stationary engine at the coal shaft blown off last evening at 7:30 o'clock, creating a loud noise and a big explosion in that part of the city. The shock was like that of a small earthquake, and resulted in frightening even men with nerves of steel. It was only momentary, however, and quiet was soon restored. No damage was done beyond the escape of the steam in the boiler, and a brief stoppage of work at the shaft. Everything is in operation there to-day.

Another Street Sprinkler.

James Hart has engaged in another enterprise in connection with his express business. He has rigged up a street sprinkler, and is now laying the dust in front of residences north from the opera house to Eldorado street, thence east on Eldorado street to J. T. Denton's grocery store. Its a good move, and should have been done long ago.

Last His Money.

John Keck, of the bottling firm of Grabs & Keck, Danville, arrived in Decatur this morning, with a purse containing \$112 in money. He was around town this forenoon calling on his old friends, when suddenly he discovered his money gone. He believes that he had his pockets picked, and is inconsolable.

Wanted.

A small, very cheap residence, for which I will pay cash.
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See those new spring styles Ladies' Shoes and Slippers, at Ferris' Shoe Store. Jan. 25-dwt

SHREKABERGER'S patent process flour saves one-half the labor in baking, and will make more bread to the pound than any other flour ever sold here.
Dec. 18-dwt

ALL kinds of furniture repaired, re-upholstered or varnished in the neatest and most substantial manner. Old Revere House. Ed. Houston, agent.
March 8-dwt

POPULAR NEW YORK STORE.
July 22-dwt

AN IMPOSING FUNERAL.

The Late Major Sheridan Wait Buried with Military and Civic Honors on Last Evening.

Resolutions of Respect Adopted by the Macon County Bar.

The funeral of Major Sheridan Wait took place on Monday afternoon at four o'clock, from the residence of Gov. R. J. Oglesby, corner of North Edward and West William streets, and was very largely attended by the friends and acquaintances of the deceased. The services were conducted in the parlors of the residence in the presence of a large assembly of mourning friends by Rev. Walter H. Moore, Rector of St. John's church, who after reading the Episcopal funeral service, delivered a beautiful and impressive memorial address.

The casket was then placed in charge to the undertaker and the pall-bearers: Gen. J. H. Moore, Hon. E. O. Smith, Capt. J. S. Post, Dr. H. C. Johns, Capt. M. F. Kanan, H. B. Durfee, Hon. A. B. Bunn and James C. Lake, and the funeral cortege formed in the following order, under the direction of Hon. W. B. Chambers:

Platoon of Police.
The Decatur Cornet Band.
Battalion of Veterans, Decatur Grenadiers and Decatur Guards, Capt. Geo. S.

Carriages containing officiating clergyman and pall-bearers.

Members of the Macon County Bar.
Carriages containing relatives and friends of deceased.

It was an imposing procession, and spoke louder than words the sincere regard in which the deceased was held by his many friends here. On arriving at Greenwood cemetery the remains were deposited in a grave in Gov. Oglesby's lot, there to await the summons at the last great day. Before leaving the grounds the veterans fired three volleys over the rounded grave of their dead comrade, and the last duty of the living to the dead was honorably discharged.

Tribute of Respect by the Macon County Bar.

At the adjourned meeting of the Macon County Bar, held at the office of Crea & Ewing, July 28, 1919, the following was submitted by the committee, adopted, and ordered published in the city papers:

The bar of Macon county is again saddened by death. SHERIDAN WAIT, once one of its members, has been stricken down. His life as a practicing lawyer was begun and ended here. It covered only a few years, but the legal character he developed was so clear and distinct that its outlines are clear in the memories of his contemporaries, and familiar through their relation to those who have come after him. We mourn for him, and we wish to record our thoughts and feelings concerning him. May we speak with careful truth and simplicity of so true a man.

Sheridan Wait was the son of an honorable lawyer. He came to the bar a mere youth, with a strong, broad mind, well stored and well trained. He was a modest man. It was not agreeable to him to be conspicuous. He had a just appreciation of the esteem of his fellow lawyers, but he did not seek fame. He prized the possession of knowledge, the consciousness of information and wisdom, but was comparatively indifferent as to the effect to be produced by their exercise upon others. He was not fond of the struggle or excitement of a trial, and never became skilled in the arts of an advocate. But he loved the science of the law. To him it was a pleasure to know the law exactly, to follow its subtle and just distinctions faithfully, and to apply them correctly to the affairs of life. And in so doing he displayed great ability. His intellect was clear, discriminating and logical. He was not easily misled and his opinion was of a thing of value. He was a sturdy and independent man. He respected other men's genuine opinions, but he made his own. They have the stamp of his individuality. He was a thoroughly honest man. He thought no man should be dishonest, and his rugged honesty was crowned by an exquisite sentiment of honor, and guided by unflinching courtesy. He was a generous man, but so unostentatious that his left hand hardly knew what his right hand bestowed. He was public spirited, and served the community conscientiously when he was called upon to do so. He was a patriot, and gave his services to his country as a soldier with the same quiet manliness that characterized his civil life.

He left the practice of the law while yet a young man, and became interested in other pursuits, but he never lost his made in our midst was never sullied. We honor the memory of Sheridan Wait, as that of a brave, true, gentle, kind man, and a wise, honorable lawyer. And it is our desire that these sentiments be presented by the chairman of this meeting as the sentiments of this bar, to the Macon county court of Macon county, Illinois, on the first day of their respective terms next ensuing, with the request that they be spread upon the records of said courts; and that a copy of the records of said courts to the brother of the deceased, Judge Dallas Wait, of Fort Edward, New York.

WM. E. NELSON,
SAM' G. MALONE,
J. S. POST,
D. L. BURN,
C. A. EWING,
Committee.

After the adoption of the report the meeting adjourned.

WM. E. NELSON, Chairman.

FELIX B. TAIT, Sec'y.

Notice.

Miss Rosa Walsh having sold her dress-making establishment, in post office block, to Miss M. A. J. Lynch, the business will be continued in the same place by Miss Lynch. With Maggie A. Walsh in her employment, she is prepared to do all kinds of dressmaking. Please call and see her.
July 29-dwt

F. L. Reform Club.

The Young Ladies' Reform Club will hold a business meeting at the tabernacle on next Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock p. m. All members are urgently requested to be present. By order of the President
July 28-dwt

Every Lady who desires a neat-fitting shoe should try D. W. Wright's Rochester Shoes. They are celebrated for being the neatest and most comfortable fitting shoes ever made. Barber & Baker keep a full assortment of them in all widths and sizes.
[June 19-dwt]

New Carpets constantly received by Linn & Scruggs.
[May 17-dwt]

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Maggie Cloyd is home from Belmont.

Frank Taylor has gone to Iowa on a three week's visit.

Orlando Powers, of Jacksonville, arrived in the city to-day.

Charles P. Housum, of Hill & Co., hog raiser manufacturers, got home from Chicago on yesterday afternoon.

H. L. Spooner, of the drug firm of Spooner & Sprague, Blue Mound, was a business caller at this office to-day.

Miss Rosa Walsh has sold her dress-making establishment to Miss M. A. J. Lynch, and Miss Maggie Walsh has been employed by the new proprietress.

Mr. Austin and family, late of Maroa township, departed yesterday for Rice county, Kansas. He sent his stock and household goods by freight.

Al Vowell reports that John Lane, of Macon, threshed 225 bushels of wheat in two hours, on the farm of Thos. Atterberry, Next.

Dr. B. R. Masser, wife and daughter departed for Salem, Ill., at 10-10 a. m. to-day on a visit to a relative at that place.

Amos Imboden, late of the Wabash railway, has opened a cigar and tobacco shop near the railroad on North Water at Success to him.

Prof. E. A. Gastman is conducting a very successful teachers' institute at Montevia, Atchison county, Kansas. He is missed here.

T. C. Mays, the gentlemanly business manager of the N. Y. Pinafore troupe, gave us a call this forenoon. Mr. M. is an old newspaper man, has a splendid company, and knows the benefits of printers' ink.

John Zeller has taken possession of his new two-story brick butcher shop on North Water street. John is a prosperous butcher, and in a few years more will be compelled to enlarge again.

Judge A. Dallas Wait and nephew, Mr. Sherry Wait, who attended the funeral of their deceased relative, yesterday, will leave for Chicago on the 10-40 train to-night. While here they were the guests of Gov and Mrs. R. J. Oglesby.

Miss Annie Stumper got home from Wichita, Kansas, this noon after an absence of four months. She accompanied her mother Mrs. W. T. Stumper who went there about a month ago.

Jacksonville Journal: Mr. S. Overmire, of Decatur, came down on Saturday, to see his "letter half," who is visiting her mother, Mrs. C. A. Carson.

Veteran Frank M. Young at the funeral yesterday had two of his fingers on his left hand painfully injured by the awkwardness of one of his comrades. The powder burned his fingers so badly that they had to receive Dr. Walton's immediate surgical attention.

Rev. J. L. Crane died at Shelbyville, Ill., this morning at 5-30 o'clock, in the 65th year of his age. He experienced a stroke of paralysis about a week ago. A brief sketch of his eventful life will be found on the second page of to-day's paper.

Lawyer John Bunn has favored us with a copy of the Evening Star, published at Washington, D. C. It contains a brief announcement of the death of Mrs. Susie G. Goddard, at Greensburg, Ind., on the 23rd of July, in the 25th year of her age. The deceased was known to many people in Decatur, and was the daughter of Mr. Wm. T. and Mrs. J. L. Evans.

The Sunday Question at Peoria.

In another column we print the Transcript's account of the rigid enforcement of the Sunday law at Peoria, on the 27th. On that day all the saloons, stores and other business places were closed, except drug stores, which were allowed to sell medicines only. The Citizens' League has, for three weeks past, been industriously prosecuting the saloon-keepers for keeping open their establishments on Sunday, and, in retaliation, the saloon-keepers on the 27th, insisted upon the enforcement of the city Sunday ordinance in full. The result was exciting, but the movement was a complete success. The proposed stoppage of the street-cars on Sunday was not carried out. The Law and Order League (which is composed of the saloon-keepers and their friends) have about 300 cases. This number is said to include saloon-keepers, store-keepers, proprietors of cigar stores and ice cream parlors, all the bands at the distilleries, all the horse car drivers, all the bakers, all the milk men, all the ice men, and persons who have been permitted heretofore to ply their vocations, without a thought of its being against the law. How long Sabbath observance will remain the rule in Peoria is not known, but it made specially memorable the 27th day of July, 1878. On Monday John M. Gable, a saloon keeper, was fined \$30.35 in a justice's court for selling liquor on Sunday.

Harvest Moon Excursion, August 5th.

Farmers, business men and your wives, after such an abundant harvest, take a pleasure trip. Go on the Excursion via the "Friendly Hand" Route to Niagara Falls, Toronto and Put-in-Bay.

Put in Bay is where Commodore Perry "put in" with his fleet just previous to and after the memorable battle of "Lake Erie" in 1813. It is conceded to be the loveliest sheet of water on any of the northern lakes.

Round trip tickets to Niagara Falls only \$7.50 from Decatur. Toronto and Put-in-Bay, \$1.00 each extra.

Parties going to Put-in-Bay, have two days at the Falls, and one to four days at the Bay and Toledo.

Talk it over with your neighbors, and get up a jolly party; go and have a good time and see the greatest of nature's wonders, Niagara Falls, and spend a few days pleasuring at the "Bay."

Tickets on sale at the Wabash depot July 29-dwt

An elegant line of white Duck and Marcellis vests at B. Stine's may 21-dwt

A Circus of Hope.

The rare attraction of a circus will be witnessed on the old show ground on North Main street, on Saturday, August 9th. Old Dan Rice is coming, with the very best circus outfit on the road. General admission, 50 cents; children, 25 cts. Of this circus the Cincinnati Times of a recent date said:

Besides James Robinson himself, the undisputed champion horseback rider of the world, there are a number of prominent performers with the show. Among them are: Master Clarence Robinson, the graceful equestrian and daring hurdle racer; Mette Bros., gymnasts and acrobats; Jackley Bros., the Vienna athletes; Mr. Chas. Lowry, the famous equestrian and gymnast; Mr. George Wayland, voltmeter; Mr. Charles Orville, the celebrated equestrian; Hart Bros., in all athletic exercises; P. H. Seamon, the favorite jester; the Micasos, gymnasts; Mr. C. H. Lee, the Australian flying leaper; the learned imported thoroughbred horses, Caesar and Sultan, will be introduced by Mr. Wm. Mayo; the riding dog, Nero, and Cleopatra, the equestrian monkey, educated by Mr. James Robinson, will ride each and every performance, and the universally popular humorist and philosopher, "Old" Dan Rice, will appear at every entertainment in his old-time character of clown.

AYER'S EXCURSION, AUGUST 5th.

Mr. Ayer goes through to the Falls and Put-in-Bay with the party to look particularly after the comfort of the passengers. Plenty of room, sleeping car accommodations, and first-class in every respect. The success of "Ayer's Excursions" for the past five years is a sure guarantee that this will not only be a cheap excursion, but really and truly a pleasure trip. Visit Niagara Falls to see the grandest of nature's works. Put in bay, Mackinaw, Petoskey, etc., for pleasure and rest.

Read routes and rates carefully:
To Niagara Falls and return, (4 day limit), \$7.50
To Toronto and Put-in-Bay, each extra, 1.00
To Put-in-Bay and return, (7 day limit), 7.50
To Niagara Falls and return in Toledo, (7 day limit), 7.50
To Milwaukee and Chicago, thence rail to Decatur, (30 day limit), 21.00
(Meals and state room included on steamer, with stopover privileges.)

To Niagara Falls, (return to Decatur), or Put-in-Bay, thence via D. & M. R. to Grand Haven, and Goodrich steamers to Chicago, thence rail to Decatur.

E. H. Ayer, Manager
Springfield, Ill.
Leave Decatur 11-30 a. m., Aug. 5th, via the "Friendly Hand Route."
July 28-dwt

Look it!—To your own interest, and go to the Farmers' Exchange Store with your wood, grain and produce of all kinds, where you can get goods at low prices.

E. B. Pratt,
37 N. Church st., Decatur, Ill.
May 16-dwt

Fun for Cash Buyers.

At the great clearing sale of Summer Goods, at the Popular New York Store, 10c will buy worsted dress goods worth 15c and 18c. 15c will buy beautiful stylish suitings worth 25c and 30c. 60c will buy a \$1 parasol, 35c will buy a zephyr, a shawl, any color, sold elsewhere at \$1.50. The only place for real live bargains in dry goods is at the

POPULAR NEW YORK STORE
July 22-dwt

Query:—Why will you smoke a poor 5-cent cigar when you can get "Kepler's Queen," warranted 15 cents fine, for the same money? [April 11-dwt]

FRESH FEATHERS for sale at Linn & Scruggs. [Nov 23 dwt]

IMPORTANT TO WATER TAKERS

Special Attention is Directed to Section 12 and 15, by the Superintendant of the Water Works.

An Ordinance Establishing a Department of the City Government entitled "Water Works Department," and for Repealing the Rules of the Water Works and regulating the use of the same.

Sec. 12. That it shall not be lawful for any person within said city to sprinkle, eject or throw water from any private or public sprinkler, washer or hydrant, upon any public street, lane, alley or avenue, or any yard, garden or enclosure, or permit or cause the same to be done, nor upon any building, or upon any person, except for the extinguishment of fire, and only for the purpose of extinguishing such fire, and any person violating any provision of this section shall forfeit and pay a sum not less than five nor more than twenty dollars for each and every offense.

Sec. 15. It shall not be lawful for any person to sprinkle, eject or throw water from any public or private hydrant, washer or sprinkler, or from any building, or upon any person, and in process of extinguishment, unless such person shall throw or eject water for the purpose of extinguishing such fire, and any person violating the provisions of this section shall forfeit and pay not less than two nor more than ten dollars for each and every offense.

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H. M. S. PINAFORE!

—OR THE—

Lass Who Loved a Sailor.

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The most charming Opera now being played.

—N. Y. Herald.

Reserved Seats, 50 cents.

Admission, 25 cents.

Box sheet now open at Abbott's.

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